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PART II - MISCELLANEOUS NOTIFICATIONS OF INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC

NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS Etc., SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, KRISHNA, MACHILIPATNAM.

<u>C.NO.07/PR/2022.</u> <u>Dt: 20.06.2024.</u>

KRISHNA DISTRICT, MACHILIPATNAM - Sri S.ASHOK BAUM, PC 2428 OF PEDANA PS AND NOW UNDER DESERTER - OE COMPLETED.

- Read:- 1. This office OE charge memo in C.No.07/PR/2022(C.no.23/A5/2022) Dt: 09.05.2022 and the same was published in AP Gazette on 10.04.2023.
 - 2. This office Order in C.No.07/PR/2022 dt.13.09.2023 appointing Inspector of Police, Robertsonpet as Inquiring Officer and Sub-Inspector of Police, Robertsonpet P.S., as Presenting Officer.
 - 3. Letter in Dis.No. C.No.NIL, Dt: 29.12.2023 of the Inspector of Police, Robertsonpet P.S. received in this office on 11.01.2024.
 - 4. This office Memo in C.No.07/PR/2022 dt.13.02.2024 along with minute acknowledged by the charged officer on 13.2.2024 through whatsapp.
 - 5. This office Reminder Memo in C.No.07/PR/2022 dt.22.04.2024 acknowledged by the charged officer thorugh whatsapp and attested by the Inspector of Polcie, Bandar Rural Circle, Machilipatnam.
 - 6. Further written statement of defence of the charged officer, Dt. Nil, received in this office on 25.05.2024 thorugh whatsapp and attested by the Inspector of Polcie, Bandar Rural Circle, Machilipatnam.

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ORDER:

Sri S.Ashok Baum, PC 2428 of Pedana PS and now under deserter was handed up on an oral enquiry charge memo under rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 for the following delinquency vide reference 1st cited.

"That the Sri S.Ashok Baum, PC 2428 has been working at Pedana P.S., since 22.05.2018. That the above PC found absent for duties from 31.12.2021 unauthorisedly without obtaining any leave or permission from the superior officers. On completion of 21 days of continuous unauthorized absence by 20.01.2022 he was declared as deserter w.e.f. 31.12.2021 as per Order No.184 of APPM Vol.I, vide this office DO.No.182/2022 (C.No.1610/A8/2022) dt: 21.03.2022. He did not appear before the Superintendent of Police, Krishna District till today i.e on 19.6.2024. Thus, he exhibited gross neglect of duty and reprehensible conduct by absenting himself for duties unauthorisedly without obtaining any prior permission or leave from the superiors, which is unbecoming of a police officer and there by violated rule 3 and 4 of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964."

The Article of Charges against the charged officer was published in AP Gazette on 10.04.2023 and he failed to submit his explanation. The Inspector of Police, Robertsonpet PS, was appointed as Inquiry officer to conduct oral enquiry against the charged officer. The Inspector of Police, Robertsonpet PS P.S., has conducted oral enquiry. The Charged officer Sri S.Ashok Baum, PC 2428 was secured through whatsApp video call as he was in U.S.A., and he is requested to complete the O.E file against him basing on the available record. He did not opt to examine the witnesses by conducting the O.E file. The Charged officer admitted his guilt while answering the questionnaire that due to surprisingly getting a chance to study M.S. in U.S.A and as there is no time to intimate the same to hierarchy, he was happened to leave India and went to USA, now studying M.S. As such, Sri S.Ashok Baum, PC 2428 absented duties from 31.12.2021 to till date at his own without any leave or permission from his superiors is **PROVED**.

Agreeing with the findings of the Enquiry Officer, Show cause notice, calling for the Further Representation, was issued to the Charged Officer, upon which the Charged Officer submitted his explanation received in this office on 25.05.2024 through whatsapp and attested by the Inspector of Police, Bandar Rural Circle, Machillpatnam. He stated that his education (MS) in US is still undergoing. Once he finished his education period he will come back to join the Police and he want to finish his education in early stages and requested to consider his request.

I have carefully gone through the charges, connected records and enquiry report submitted by the Enquiry Officer and Further Representation of the Charged Officer in which the charged officer admitted his guilt. The Further Written Statement of Defence submitted by the Charged Officer to me after receipt of copy of minutes and the explanation submitted to the Inquiring Officer (received through courier on 05.01.2024) are one and the same and there is no new matter or grounds in the FWSD, which deserves any consideration. I am agreeing with the findings of the Enquiry Officer. As per the records in this office, the said Sri S.Ashok Baum, PC 2428 did not applied any kind of leave or taken any permission for further studies at abroad. In terms of the orders issued vide G.O.Ms.No.260, GA (Ser.C) Dept. dt.04.09.2003 communicated through C.O.Endt. No.1108/Appeal-1/2003, Dt. 22.09.2003, in all cases of unauthorized absence to duty for a continuous period exceeding one year, the penalty of Removal from service shall be imposed on the Govt., employee, after following the procedure laid down in the In the light of above guidelines, I award the APCS (CC&A) Rules 1991. punishment of "Removal from service" against the charged officer Sri S.Ashok Baum, PC 2428 with immediate effect. The period of absence from 31.12.2021 at 13.00 hrs to till date is treated as "NOT ON DUTY".

Certified that the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of APCS, (CC&A) Rules, 1991 has been followed.

R. GANGADHARA RAO, Superintendent of Police, Krishna Ditrict

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